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## REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111

In response to the Official Action dated May 18, 2009 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 25, 2009, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.